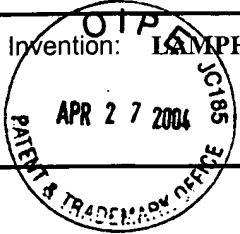

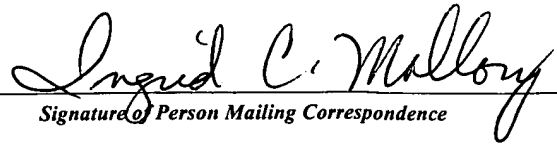
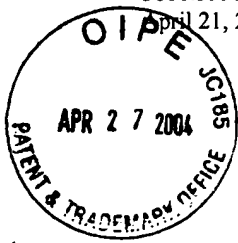


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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <b>\$162.00</b> to cover the filing fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <b>50-0636</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. <input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.					
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"> <div style="width: 60%;">             Signature  <b>Charles S. Guenzer, Reg. No. 30,640</b>            (650) 566-8040  <b>Mailing Address:</b>  <b>Law Offices of Charles Guenzer</b>  <b>2211 Park Boulevard</b>  <b>P.O. Box 60729</b>  <b>Palo Alto, CA 94306</b> </div> <div style="width: 35%; text-align: right;">           Dated: <b>April 23, 2004</b> </div> </div>					
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### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 9, 2004, please amend the above application as follows:

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## Amendments to the Drawings

Please amend FIG. 2 for the second time to show reference numeral 202 pointing to the monolithic lamphead-reflector, as shown in the attached red-marked copy of that figure.